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BABESIA CABALLI, RECOMBINANT PROTEIN OBTAINED  
THEREFROM AND UTILIZATION THEREOF

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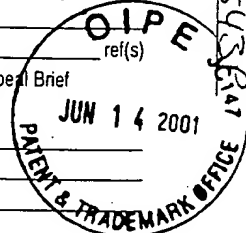
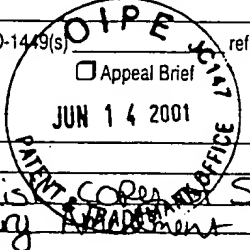
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